



ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL PARTNERSHIPS FORUM DRAFT PROGRAMME

“The role of partnerships in achieving the Post-2015 development agenda: Making it happen”
ECOSOC Chamber, 28 May 2015, 10:00 am-1:00 pm & 3:00 pm – 6.00 pm

Morning Session:

10:00 AM – 10:30 AM: Opening

Welcoming remarks by **H.E. Mr. Martin Sajdik**, President of the Economic and Social Council
Opening remarks by **Mr. Jan Eliasson**, Deputy Secretary-General of the United Nations
Opening Keynote Address: **President William Jefferson Clinton**, Founder of the Clinton Foundation and 42nd President of the United States

10:30 AM – 11:00 AM:

Special addresses by Ministers of Health from African countries (via videoconference):

- **H.E. Dr. Bernice Dahn**, Minister-Designate for Health and Social Welfare, Liberia
- **H.E. Mr. Remy Lamah**, Minister of Health and Public Hygiene, Guinea
- **H.E. Ms. Madina Rahman**, Deputy-Minister of Health and Sanitation, Sierra Leone

11:00 AM – 1:00 PM: Dialogue One - Partnerships in support of strengthening health systems: Building resilience to Pandemics (Moderator: Professor Paul Farmer, Special Adviser to the Secretary-General on Community-Based Medicine and Lessons from Haiti, Co-founder, Partners In Health, and Chair, Harvard University Medical School Department of Global Health and Social Medicine)

11:00 AM – 11:45 AM: Panel Discussion

- **Dr. Anthony Fauci**, Director, US National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases
- **Dr. Matshidiso Rebecca Moeti**, Regional Director for Africa, WHO (via videoconference)
- **Mr. Gary M. Cohen**, Executive VP and President of Global Health, Becton, Dickinson and Co.
- **Mr. Jeffrey Wright**, Actor, and Founder, Ebola Survival Fund
- **Dr. Rifat Atun**, Professor of Global Health and Population, Harvard University

11:45 AM– 12:55 PM: Interactive Dialogue

12:55 PM – 1:00 PM: Concluding Thoughts: **Professor Paul Farmer**

1:00 PM – 3:00 PM: Lunch Break

Afternoon Session

3:00 PM – 3:05 PM: Opening of the afternoon session by **H.E. Mr. Martin Sajdik**, President of ECOSOC

3:05 PM – 5:15 PM: **Dialogue 2 - Partnerships for the Post-2015 Era: Reality Check (Moderator: Ms. Brenda Killen**, Deputy-Director, Development Cooperation Directorate, OECD)

3:05 PM – 4:00 PM: Panel Discussion

- **Ms. Carolyn Miles**, President and CEO, Save the Children
- **Professor Rolf-Dieter Heuer**, Director-General, CERN
- **Mr. G.S. Krishnan**, Regional President, Novozymes, India
- **H.E. Ambassador Guilherme de Aguiar Patriota**, Permanent Mission of Brazil to the United Nations, New York
- **Dr. Mercy Ahun**, Special Representative for GAVI Eligible Countries, GAVI, the Vaccine Alliance

4:00 PM – 5:15 PM: Interactive Dialogue

5:15 PM – 5:45 PM: Launch of the Global Network on Promoting Digital Technologies for Sustainable Urbanization

- **Dr. Joan Clos**, Executive Director, UN-Habitat
- **Dr. Talal Abu-Ghazaleh**, Chairman and Founder, Talal Abu-Gazaleh Organization

5:45 – 6:00 PM: **Closing**

Closing remarks by **H.E. Mr. Martin Sajdik**, President of the Economic and Social Council

6:15 – 8:30 PM: Reception in the Dag Hammarskjold Library Penthouse (Sponsored by the Global Partnerships Forum)